

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of
Jean-Marc Frances et al.

Group Art Unit: 1711

Application No.: 10/009,605

Examiner: Susan W. Berman

Filing Date:

March 20, 2002

Confirmation No.: 4221

Title: PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF A RELEASE AND LEAKTIGHT COATING APPLIED TO A

CYLINDER HEAD GASKET EMPLOYING A SILICONE MATERIAL

## **NOTICE OF APPEAL**

**Commissioner for Patents** P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

_	:	_	٠	

Sir:	
Al nereby	finally rejected claims in the decision of the Primary Examiner dated <u>January 23, 2004</u> are appealed to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences.
	The appeal fee was previously paid on Therefore, no Appeal fee is now required.
×	Enclosed is the Appeal fee of: ☐ \$165.00 (2401) 🗷 \$330.00 (1401)
×	
	A check in the amount of is enclosed for the fee due.
	Charge to credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
	A Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed.
	Small entity status is hereby claimed.
that ma	ne Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 ay be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper nitted in duplicate.
	Respectfully submitted,

BURNS, DOANE, SWECKER & MATHIS, L.L.P.

P.O. Box 1404 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1404 (703) 836-6620

Date: July 23, 2004

Martin A. Bruehs

Registration No. 45,635